

HOUSE BILL 2230

By Hulsey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
relative to state institutions of higher education.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Transparency in Higher Education Act."

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

(a) Each state institution of higher education shall make available on its website a list of all reading, video, and audio materials required for each course offered by the institution as part of an associate or baccalaureate degree program, disaggregated by course and by instructor. The list required by this subsection (a) shall include the title, author, and publisher of any required reading, video, or audio material, as well as the details of any assignment required of students enrolled in each course.

(b) The list required by subsection (a) shall be made available on the institution's website before the start of each semester, and shall be updated to reflect modifications to any required reading, video, or audio material.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to courses offered by state institutions of higher education in the 2018-2019 academic year and each academic year thereafter.